

**READINGTON WATERWATCH COMMITTEE  
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING  
AGENDA: OCTOBER 17, 2023 – 7:00 PM**

**THIS MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED IN-PERSON FOR ALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND. THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE READINGTON TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM.**

**AGENDA**

- A. Opening of Meeting:** Meeting is called to order announcing that all laws governing the Open Public Meetings Act have been met and that this meeting has been duly advertised. The time is noted, and attendance is taken.
- B. Approval of Minutes:** Meeting Minutes from the previous regular monthly meeting will be reviewed, revised if necessary, and approved.
- C. Guest:** Kathleen P. Hale, New Jersey Water Authority, *Principal Watershed Protection Specialist* see: [Kathy Hale — Watershed Protection Programs \(raritanbasin.org\)](http://raritanbasin.org)
- D. Committee Member Updates**
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| Steve Foster       | RWW Liaison to EC; Policy Updates and Broader Environmental Issues |
| Rene Rao           | Community Programs and Outreach                                    |
| Marlene Orlandi    | Schools Programs and Outreach                                      |
| David Owen         | RWW Liaison to OSAB Trails, HC Board of CC liaison                 |
| Jonathan Heller    | RWW Liaison to TC; Stream Monitoring; Miscellaneous                |
| Lauren Huelsebusch | Outreach and Schools Programs                                      |
| Richard Geisler    | TBD  |
- E. Other Issues and New Business (Updates as needed)**
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| Mario Orlandi | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Program Announcement for up to \$36 Million in Fish Passage Funding; Monthly RWW post on Township FB page |
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- F. Ongoing Business (Updates as needed):**
- Community and School Participation
  - C1 Designation for Readington Streams from NJDEP
  - Social Media Distribution Channel for RWW (besides Township FB Page)
  - Storm Ida Restoration
  - High *E. coli* count on Rockaway Creek
  - Asset and Resource Mapping Projects
  - *Readington Municipal Water Story*: edits, updates, and repurposing
  - Local Scouts – Projects for Eagle Scout (Boy Scouts) and Gold Star Awards (Girl Scouts)
  - Dam Removals on the South Branch Raritan River
  - Holland Brook Stream Restoration Project
  - Prescott Brook Stream Restoration Project
- G. Comments – Public and Committee**
- I. Adjournment**